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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE APPOINTMENTS FOR IV GRANTEE PETER S. MMUSI

REF: (A) STATE 147679, (B) GABORONE 528

DEPARTMENT PASS OPIC AND COMMERCE

1. PETER S. MMUSI, ASSISTANT MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING, HAS INFORMED THE EMBASSY THAT HE WANTS TO LEAVE FOR U.S. ON IV GRANT AS EARLY AS SEPTEMBER 20. WE RECOGNIZE SHORT NOTICE MMUSI S REQUEST AND POSSIBLE DIFFICULTIES IT MAY IMPOSE ON PROGRAMMING. FOR YOUR USE IN SCHEDULING, FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED.
2. EMBASSY HOPES ASSISTANT SECRETARY LEVEL APPOINTMENTS CAN BE ARRANGED IN AF AND EB. WE WOULD ALSO LIKE MMUSI TO MEET WITH AID ADMINISTRATOR ADAMS IF POSSIBLE. APPROPRIATE LEVEL APPOINTMENTS WITH CONGRESS, COMMERCE, OPIC, EX/IM, AGRICULTURE AND IBRD WOULD ALSO BE USEFUL. ALSO MMUSI MIGHT BENEFIT FROM A CALL ON THE COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS UNDERSTANDING.
3. IN CALL ON AMBASSADOR, MMUSI LISTED U.S. CORPORATIONS WITH WHICH BOTSWANA HAS BEEN IN CONTACT. BASED IN PART ON THIS UNCLASSIFIED

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LISTING, PROPOSED BUSINESS CALLS FOR MMUSI INCLUDE: REV. LEON

SULLIVAN AND VAL DIALLO OF OPPORTUNITIES INDUSTRIALIZATION
CENTERS INTERNATIONAL, PHILADELPHIA

ROBERT F. MCCOLLOUGH OF FMC CORPORATION, CHICAGO

R. BERN CROWL AND DEXTER WALCOTT OF AMAX NEW YORK
(MMUSI WAS FORMERLY COMMISSIONER OF LABOR AND SHOULD BE ABLE
TO DISCUSS RECENT LABOR PROBLEMS AT SELEBI-PIKWE)

D.C. BASOLO, TRACY, CALIFORNIA
(RE BEEFALO DEVELOPMENT)

FREUHAUF CORPORATION, DETROIT (RE TRAILER ASSEMBLY, OPIC
SHOULD BE ABLE TO ASSIST)

PHILLIP GROVE OF GROVE INTERNATIONAL, NEW YORK

CAMPBELL SOUP, CAMPDEN, NEW JERSEY (COMMERCE HANDLING AND
SHOULD BE ABLE TO ASSIST)

GENERAL MOTORS (RE NOMAD ASSEMBLY, OPIC)

H. H. ROBERTSON COMPANY, PITTSBURGH (ROBERTSON PLANS TO
HAVE MANUFACTURING FACILITY IN BOTSWANA)

ROBERT E. HOLT OF GULF RESOURCES, HOUSTON (RE SUA PAN SODA
ASH DEVELOPMENT, OPIC)

ALBERT C. KELLY, KELLYVILLE, OKLAHOMA (RE LARGE-SCALE RANCHING
OPIC)

HOTELS - INTERCONTINENTAL, HILTON, SHERATON, ETC.

CHARLES BOZAK, VICE PRESIDENT OF LINDBLAD TRAVEL, NEW YORK
(OPIC)

PEPSI COLA AND COCA COLA - (BOTH NEGOTIATING FOR BOTSWANA
BOTTLING CONCESSION)

BENDIX CORPORATION, DAYTON, OHIO (OPIC SAYS BENDIX IS INTERESTED
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IN MANUFACTURING IN BLS)

JERRY HILLENBRAND, CHASE MANHATTAN

NILES E. HELMBOLDT, PRESIDENT, EQUATOR BANK, HARTFORD, CONNECTI-
CUT

CLIFFORD VAN VOORHEESN ASSISTANT TREASURER, BANKERS TRUST

COMPANY

FIRST NATIONAL CITY BANK, NEW YORK

4. EMBASSY WILL TRANSMIT INFORMATION ON MMUSI S TRAVEL TO
U.S. AS AVAILABLE. PLEASE ADVISE PROGRESS OF ARRANGING MMUSI
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